The season was danced out in the merriest man ner at Sherry's early on Wednesday morning, and a few hours later many of the gay dancers walked soberly to church, almost too tired to follow the services. The week opened with the Patriarchs' Ball, which, while a handsome entertainment in every respect, had nothing to distinguish it from all the other balls of the series. Franklin Bartlett came on from Washington to lead a large cotillon, in which there were no favors. He chose for his partner Miss Pomeroy, who looked extremely handne in a gown of white satin and blue velvet. A much livelier and prettier party was the last of the Tuesday evening dances at Sherry's on the following night. There were all the beauty that w-York can bring together, flowers in profusion, soft lights, inspiring music, young women in gowns as fresh as if it were the beginning and not the end of the season, and plenty of young men. It was a late ball, the dancing not being well under way until almost half an hour before midnight, but there was a pienty of spirit and go from the start to the finish, which came with the early hours of Wednesday morning. An innovation was made by dancing the cotillon after supper, when everybody was in the best possible humor and in the proper spirit to enjoy the Mardi Gras features of the dance. The spirit of carnival was demonstrated in the favors, which included hariequins strated in the layers, which included indrequins and punchinellos of gay colors mounted on hand-some wands; large balloons on which were painted the date and fancy pictures, horns and other amusing trifles. The greatest amusement was created when, at the height of the cotillon, which was led by J. Norman Whitehouse, who danced with Mrs. Edmund L. Baylies, the dancers were showered with colls of paper, which were suspended from the edges of the large dome. The tumes were gorgeous, and the display of jewels finest seen anywhere this winter. Mrs. W. ard Webb, who, with Mrs. Burke Roche, Mrs. Frederic Kernochan and Mrs. John Christopher Wilmerding, assisted in receiving the guests, wore a magnificent gown of white satin brocade and point lace, coronet of diamends, and a stomacher f diamonds. Mrs. Paran Stevens, in buttercup yellow satin combined with marcon velvet trimmed with silver, wore many handsome rubies and diamond ornaments on her corsage and neck, as well as in her coiffure. Mrs. Henry T. Sloane, in white satin, was ablaze with diamonds, including a Grecian collarette, a tiara, and many ornaments on the corsage. Mrs. Frances K. Pendleton was in an effective gown of blue moiré, draped with white gauze festooned with small rosettes of shrimp pink

will keep the young people in the Adirondacks ntil Tuesday morning, when, after two days of ice-oating, rifle-shooting, skating and tobogganning, they will be carried over to Vermont to join Mrs. and her family at Shelburne Farms, Here sports until Thursday night, when the young people will be brought back to town in Dr. Webb's private cars. The second party will go next Friday night. Dr. and Mrs. Webb's guests this week are Mr. and Mrs. John H. Purdy, Mr. and Mrs. James Lawrence Breese, Miss Cora Randolph, Miss Sioane, Miss Pauline Whitney, Miss Beatrice Bend, Miss Shepherd, Richard T. Wilson, Jr.; Charles Munn, Frederic Baldwin, James A. Burden, Jr.; Charles Robinson, Julian H. Kean and William A. Potter.

Several engagements were announced before the arrival of Ash Wednesday, the first being that of Miss May Irvin, a daughter of the late Alexander Miss May Irvin, a daughter of the late Alexander Irvin, of this city, to Augustine Coleman Smith, a young lawyer and one of the officers of the Knick, erbocker Riding Club. Miss Irvin has lived for some time in California, where her two brothers own a large ranch. The second engagement was formally announced on Monday—that of Miss Eliss Jaffray, to George H. Mairs, son of the late Edward S. Jaffray, to George H. Mairs, son of the late John Mairs, of this city. Mr. Mairs, who was graduated from Harvard about five years ago, has known his future wife since childhood. The wedding will probably take place in the spring, at Willow Brook, Mr. Hurst's country home, at Irvington-on-the-Hudson. Another engagement which was rumored last autumn but promptly denied was made public on Tuesday, afternoon. It was that of Miss Edith Cruger Sands, second daughter of Mrs. Charles E. Sands, of Hastings-on-the-Hudson, to T. J. Oakley Rhinelander, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Rhinelander, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Rhinelander, Both these young people are well known in society, and the news of their engagement was scarcely a surprise to their friends. A recent engagement is that of Miss Emily H. Jeremiah, daughter of Mrs. Thomas E. Jeremiah, of No. 185 West Fifty-eighth-st., to William Alden Pratt, of this city. The engagement is also announced of Miss W. Dulles Martin, daughter of Oswaid J. Martin, of this city, to John Laimbeer, Ft., of No. 239 West Fiftieth-st. No date has yet been set for the welding. Still another engagement made public in the early part of the week was that of Miss Elizabeth Maud Gallatin, eldest daughter of Mrs. James Gallatin, of No. 58 West Fifty-fifth-st. to John B. Ireland, of No. 15 East Forty-seventh-st.

It is announced and the marriage of Miss Mabel Mostley Scales daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Irvin, of this city, to Augustine Coleman Smith, a

Mrs. James Gallatin, of No. 58 West Fifty-fifth-st. to John de Courcy Ireland, eidest son of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Ireland, of No. 15 East Forty-seventh-st.

It is announced that the marriage of Miss Mabel Montigu Sealch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Sealch, of No. 18 West Seventy-sixth-st., to Thomas's Church on April 50.

Cards have been issued by Mrs. Alice J. Shaw, of No. 28 West One-hundred-and-twenty-eighth-st., for the marriage of her daughter. Miss Minnie Myrtle Shaw, to William Albert Currie, of Boston, on Tuesday morning. February 20, at St. Andrew's Protestant Episcopal Church, Fifth-ave, and One-hundred-and-twenth-st.

Mrs. Ferdinand Wilmerding, daughter of ex-Secretary of the Navy Benjamin F. Tracy, will give the second of her days at home on Tuesday, at her house, No. 14 West Twentieth-st.

The first meeting this season of the Evening Badminton Club will take place on Tuesday. Among the patronesses of the club this year are Mrs. Charles Stickney, Mrs. Thomas W. Ward, Mrs. Charles Stickney, Mrs. Thomas W. Ward, Mrs. Charles Stickney, Mrs. Thomas W. Ward, Mrs. Charles Stickney are acception with music will be given on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Hilborne L. Roosevelt and Miss Shippen have sent out cards for a reception to be given on Tuesday afternoon from 3 until 6 o'clock, to meet the Buff and Blue Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, at Mrs. Roosevelt's home, No. 62 East Thirty-fourth-st.

The theatre club organized by the Misses Hidden will hold its next meeting on Tuesday night, when the members will attend the performance of "The Butterflies" at Paimer's Theatre, going afterward to the Waldorf for supper.

The Knickerbocker Bowling Club's first meeting of the season will be held on Wednesday in the Tennis Building, in West Forty-first-st. The managers of the club are Dr. D. M. Cammann, Banyer Clarkes and Walter Rutherfurd. The patronesses this year include Mrs. John T. Hall, Mrs. Prescott Hall Butter, Mrs. Columbus O'D. Iselin, Mrs. Clament Clarke and Walter Butherfurd. The pa

plished brunette, and much admired. She is a great-granddaughter of Samuel Willets, the Quaker philanthropist and millionaire, who died in this city some ten years ago. Mr. Dutcher is a much congratulated man. He is a tail, manly fellow, and popular.

The wodding of Miss Laura Louise Stevens, niece of Mrs. Eibridge Gilbert Seymour, of Hermon, N. Y., and Ernest L. Allen, of Chicago, will be celebrated in Trinity Chapel at noon on Thursday of this week. The ceremony, which will be performed by the Rev. Dr. Morgan Dix, will be followed by a breakfast at the Waldorf.

The final meeting this season of the Saturday Evening Theatre Club was held last night, when the members and a party of invited guests attended the performance by John Drew and his company at Palmer's Theatre of "The Butterfiles." A small section of orchestra stalls were occupied by the party, which included Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Suydam, Mrs. Spotswood D. Schenek, Mrs. A. McLane Hamilton, Miss Alice Harriman, Miss Charlotte Pell, Miss Norrie, Miss Alexander, Miss William Street, Miss Mesler, Sir Roderick Cameron, J. Henry Smith, Bayard Fish Foulke, Percy Bramwell, Gardiner Sherman and William Morgan. After the play the members of the club and invited guests were entertained at supper at Delmonico's by Miss Mester.

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third of the series of Adamowski Quartet sub-The third of the series of Adamowski Quartet subscription concerts was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry G. Marquand, No. 11 East Sixty-eighth-st., where the subscribers listened to the following programme: Quartet C minor, Beethoven; concerto for violin, Wienlowski, and a quintet, with plane, by Dvorak, Mr. Buhler was the planist. The fourth and last of these subscription concerts will take place on March 31, at the residence of Mrs. N. E. Baylles, No. 1 East Seventy-first-st.

concerts will take place on March 3l, at the residence of Mrs. N. E. Baylles, No. 1 East Seventy-first-st.

H. A. Jacoby last night gave an entertalment at the Saile d'Armes, No. 75 West Forty-fourth-st, which was attended by a number of fashionable people. Many interesting bouts with salres and folls were given by Professor Jacoby, Dr. G. M. Hammond, Frederic R. Coulert, Jr., James W. Gerard, Jr. Dr. John H. Claiborne, D. A. Clarkson, Professor J. Bonnafont, of Philadelphia; Dr. B. F. O'Connor and Professor E. Postel, of Yale College, After a very interesting programme had been finished supper was served. Some of the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Pendleton, Miss La Montagne, the Misses del Monte, Mr. and Mrs. H. Whitney McVickar, the Misses Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Charles De Kny, Miss Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hessler, Sidney Smith, Fitzgerald Peploe Matthew Astor Wilks, Stephen H. Olin, John G. Beresford, J. J. Harrison, W. Travers Gray, J. Murray Mitchell, R. K. Richards, E. McDougai Hawkes, Miss Field, Mr. and Mrs. Fernando, Vznaga, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Condin, Peter Marie, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Strong, Miss Strong and the Misses Potter.

The Badminton courts in the Armory of the Berkeley School, in West Forty-fourth-st, were well patronized yesterday afternoon by members of the Badminton Club, many of whom carried home several very handsome fancy silver and oxidized prizes. Mrs. Isaac L. Kip, assisted by Mrs. Philip Rhinelander, poured tea, and presided at the refreshment table, which was surrounded by metry groups of young people throughout the afternoon. A charming informal musical entertainment of amateur talent was given by Mr. and Mrs. Lexis Cruger Hassel, at their home, No. S. East Fifty-sixh St., last night. Mrs. Harell is a delightful hostess.

an effective gown of blue moiré, draped with white gauze festooned with small rosettes of shrimp pinks veivet. Mrs. Charles F. Havemeyer looked handsome in a dress of black moiré and lace, the bodice of which was ornamented with a single American beauty rose. Mrs. Edmund L. Baylies, in pale mauve opalescent moiré, trimmed with silver embroidery and point lace, was one of the young married belies who danced in nearly every set. Miss Emily Vanderbitt Sloane looked beautiful imag gown of cerulean blue silk flounced with gauze of the same shade, and trimmed with narrow blue satin ribbon. Mrs. Burke Roche's gown was of white satin shot with blue and trimmed with silver. During supper the Hungarian Band took a position in the small reception-room overlooking the ball-room, and played throughout the repast, which was finished about 1.20 o'clock, when Mr. Whitehouse began to gather his forces for the cotilion, which was a pretty one. So from first to last the musicians of Lander's and the Hungarian Band played, and the dancers danced with more zest and spirit than at any hall save the Bachelors', at they made the season. A chief sating the proposed of the same shade, and trimmed with silver. During supper the Hungarian Band played, and the dancers danced with more zest and spirit than at any hall save the Bachelors', at they made the season being given by Mr. and Mrs. William D. Sloane.

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dorf. A number of claborate dinner parties preceded the ball, the largest one being given by Mr. and Mrs. William D. Sloane.

A pleasant incident of the week was the appearance of Constant Coupelin on Tuesday before the spiberibers of the afternoon teas at Sherry's. The spiberibers of the afternoon teas at Sher

Mrs. Charles Bradley was dancing until midnight, and at 130 a. m. Chauncey G. Parker led the cotilion alone.

Among the guests from out-of-town were Mr. Among the guests from out-of-town were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wesson, Alfred Ely, John McNeel, Mr. and Mrs. J. Chrystie Bell, Pani Bonner, Bride Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Warren E. Dennis, J. Georgie McNeil, Miss Grove Fanshaw, Miss Da. G. all of New-York: Miss Margaret Reil, Miss S. Ja. delphia; Miss Susie Broadhead, of Delaware Water delphia; Miss Susie Broadhead, of Delaware Water Gap; Miss Elsie Jackson and Mr. Otis, of Wasabington; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Munn, of Brooklyn, The Newark guests included Frederick Freiling-Ingon; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Munn, of Brooklyn, Mrs. William Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Robby, Mrs. William Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Robby, Mrs. William Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Cumming, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Ballender W. Cumming, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Ballender W. Cumming, Mr. and Mrs. Otit, and Miss. Robert W. Cumming, Mr. and Mrs. Otit, and Miss. Robert M. Parker, Stockton Cott, and Miss. Robert M. Parker, Stockton Cott, and Miss. Agnes Gifford, Mary Dodd, Mabel Vanderpool, Bessie Cumming, Elis Wright, Dilly Fleming, Brances Depue, Bessie Weeks, the Misses White-head, the Misses Jackson, Frank and Mrs. Aney, Mrs. William P. Jackson, Elward H. Duryea, Beckman Hisley, Callwell Abeel, Freierick Borcheling, Frederick Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Aney, Walkace, M. Scudder, Mr. and Mrs. George Ashwan, John J. Hubbell, Mr. and Mrs. Charles K. Nichola and Mr. and Mrs. A reception will be given to Miss Camille D'Arville, the comic opera singer, by Mrs. John D. Townsend and Miss Margaret Townsend, at their Townsend, at their Hone, No. 34 West Thirty-fourth-st., this evening. Three hundred invitations have been sent out.

MLLE. CALVE OBLIGED TO REST.

SHE SANG FOR THE PURIM ASSOCIATION AND

WILL NOT BE HEARD AGAIN IN A WEEK. Mile. Calvé has been ordered to rest by he physician, Dr. Holbrook Curtis. Her health is poor and she has been working hard all the season.

It has been noticed of late that she was not singling in quite her own style, and now it is found necessary for her to remain off the stage for a week or run a risk of more seriously endangering her health. She sang in "Carmen" last night at the Metropolitan Opera House, for the benefit of the Purim Association. The performance was given in aid of the Emergency Fund of the United Hebrew Charities. The house was crowded, as it always is when Mile, Calvé sings in "Carmen," and the proceeds, as nearly as they could be estimated last night, were about \$10,000. The other members of the cast were Mile, Bauermeister, Mile, Ibles, Mmc.

the cast were Mile, Bauermeister, Mile, Ibles, Mme, Emma Eames, M. Lassalle, Signor Gromzerki, Signor Carbone, Signor Rinaldini, Signor Viviana and Signor de Lucia.

Mile Calvé's inability to sing this week will make necessary two changes of programme. On Wednesnecessary two thanges of programme. On Wednesnecessary two thanges of programme. On the day night "Tannhauser" will be sing instead of "Carmen." and the charity performance on Thursday night will be omitted. The programme will be an extremely long one without it. It is expected that Mile, Calvé will be able to sing again as usual next week.

Some old reports have again become current to effect that Augustin Daly's Company, now playing in London, will return to this country and appear at Daly's Theatre, on Easter Monday. Richard Dorney, Mr. Daly's manager, denied these reard Dorney, Mr. Daly's manager, denied these reports last night and said: "Mr. Daly's Company will remain at the theatre in Leicester Square till about May 1, when it will be followed by Mme, about May 1, when it will be followed by Mme, buse, who will play her repertory for six weeks. Duse, who will play her repertory for six weeks. Duse, who will play Mr. Daly has given up making stay indefinitely. Mr. Daly has given up making any spring tour in this country, and will not play any engagement in New-York this spring. The company will return to this country and will open in Chicago on September 3. It will begin its resular season at the home theatre early in November, lar season at the home theatre early in November, and it is the intention that it shall return in Septemand it is the intention that it shall return in September and stay till the opening of Mr. Daly's season."

COLONEL PARTRIDGE LEAVES "OURS," Colonel John N. Partridge took his leave of the 23d Regiment, N. G., S. N. Y., of Brooklyn, "Ours," of which he has held command for eight years, at of which he has held command for eight years, at the Clermont-ave, armory, in Brooklyn, last evening, General Alfred C. Barnes reviewed the regiment, and Colonel Partridge distributed long service medals. Lieutenant-Colonel Alexis C. Smith will take command of the regiment to-morrow.

Beadleston & Woers's "IMPERIAL BEER" re-ceives highest awards wherever exhibited.

in all parts of the city, and all nationali-ties above been served. The Italians came to the Second Avenue Mission for groceries; at No. 1 Henry-st., the Mariners' Temple, worthy Hebrews were fed; the Colored Mission, in West Thirtiethst., distributed supplies to poor and worthy negroes and English-speaking families were taken care of

at several places daily.

No family has received groceries more than once and in no instance were people supplied whose worthiness was not vouched for by persons who made their report after personal examination and inquiry. The men and women connected with the various missions, who have volunteered to render thanks not only of the recipients of the bounty, but of those who contribute to its maintenance.

CONTINUED LETTERS OF APPEAL. Far-reaching as has been the work of The Tribune Fund, only a comparatively small number of describing poor has been benefited, and letters de-scribing distress, illness and misery in consequence of enforced idleness still come to The Tribune in great numbers. There is another class of letters which are written because of The Tribune's relief measures, which few, except the workers connected with the established charitable organizations, see. beneficiaries, and though at times defective in con-struction and not models for orthography, the heartiness and evident sincerity of the missives are a source of much gratification to those who work in the cause, and a tangible rebuke to those who think there is no gratitude.

Yesterday ended the fifth week of the distribution. Mission, No. 50 South-st., ten families were supplied; the Rev. W. T. Elsing sent Tribune Fund East Twenty-sixth-st. As heretofore, the groceries distributed by The Tribune Fund were in H lots, each family receiving:

i quarts beans,
i pounds catmeal,
it pounds cornmeal,
it pounds rice,
it pound fea, and
can condensed milk.

WHAT HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED. Since the Fund began the distribution of groceries five weeks ago, 6,474 families have been supplied. coal to 767 families. This makes the total number of families which have received coal from the fund, to

At two places in Delancey-st, stood stacks of sold water-souked and broken furniture yesterday. It water-sonked and broken furniture yesterday. It was poor enough when it stood in the apartments of the Russian families to which it belonged, but after having absorbed the rain for two days, after being kicked and tossed about by the boys, it was simply two great piles of wreckage, good for nothing but fuel. This furniture was put in the street during a hard rain by landlords' agents, and the two families, one consisting of an old man and his wife, the other of man, wife and three children, were taken care of by neighbors, but the other family went to pieces children separated from the mother, and the father a tramp. With an order for Tribune Fund groceries the father started yesterday to find his family. "Pil find a place to have the things cooked," he said, and we will imagine we have a home once more."

THE POOR DYING FROM STARVATION.

children alive."

A man with every appearance of honesty, who

asks only for work, tells me that from lack of food his wife has stopped nursing her baby a few days old, and now both mother and baby are in danger of starvation. The man can work; work suitable for him can be secured, but who will pay the bills? for him can be secured, but who will pay the bills?
One of our sweepers was thrown against a street car by a brewery wagon and has been treated in a hospital, but he cannot work again this winter. Shall the committee use some of its money for his support and that of his family while other men stand waiting for an opportunity to work?

A Hebrew girl fell down an elevator shaft and was killed. While the family were observing the religious rites prescribed by their faith another man took the position held by the father, and the

family is in dependent straits.

A man whose child has died is obliged to break A man whose child has died is obliged to break up his family because of the expenses incident to her death, and for six long weeks he has walked the streets waiting for work. Yesterday he told me that it was no use waiting longer. He had fought against hunger as long as flesh and blood could endure, and if he left my door without work he would never ask another man for it. He did not threaten to kill himself, and yet his look of desperation was unmistakable.

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I do not ask money for any of these families. I simply wish the public to know a few facts that are familiar to some of the workers among the

are familiar to some of the workers among the poor. Individual appeais at this time are hardly when so many thousands are in distress.

Our committee has several forms of relief by work, but none perhaps more practicable than that of whitewashing the tenement homes where the poor live and the shops where some of them work. However, the strength of the committee and 100 men could the disposal of the committee and 100 men could the disposal of the committee and 100 men could the disposal of the committee and 100 men could the disposal of the committee and 100 men could the disposal of the committee and 100 men could the disposal of the committee and 100 men could increase the number not simply to 100 but to to increase the number not simply to 100 but to to increase the number not simply to 100 but to to increase the number not simply to 100 but to to increase the number not simply to 100 but to to increase the number not simply to 100 but to to increase the number not simply to 100 but to to increase the number not simply to 100 but to to increase the number of single to not seem yet unable to do so because the public do not seem yet unable to do so because the public do not seem yet unable to do so because the public do not seem yet unable to do so because the public do not seem yet unable to do so because the public do not seem yet unable to do so because the public do not seem yet unable to do so because the public do not seem yet unable to do so because the public do not seem yet unable to do so because the public do not seem yet unable to do so because the public do not seem yet unable to do so because the public do not seem yet unable to do so because the public do not seem yet unable to do not seem

FIVEWEEKSOF RELIEFWORK

WHAT THE TRIBUNE FUND HAS ACCOMPLISHED IN THAT TIME.

NOURISHING FOOD HAS BEEN GIVEN TO 6,474

FAMILIES AND 2,632 HAVE RECEIVED COAL

THE GREAT NEED WHICH CONTINUED

INVESTIGATION DISCLOSES.

Another week of work toward alleviating the sufferings of the cold and hungry has been done through The Tribune Fund, hundreds of families have been reached whose distress became known through The Tribune's agents, and many have received food who 621 not ask for it, and who reluctionally accepted it, even in their dire want. The distributions have been made in all parts of the city, and all nationalities abey been served. The Italians came to the Second Avenue Mission for groceries; at No. 1 Henry-st. the Mariners' Temple, worthy Hebrews.

HOW TO RAISE MORE MONEY. THAT IS THE SERIOUS QUESTION WHICH WILL CONFRONT THE COMMITTEE OF CITIZENS

WHEN THEY MEET MAYOR GILROY. The committee of wealthy citizens, appointed by Mayor Gilroy on Friday to receive and distribute

At the mission, No. 252 Secondest, the Rev. G. Tammany Hall Relief Fund of the 1st Assembly Abele distributed graceries to twenty-one families; District, which is to be given in Nibio's Garden toskyty-five families were supplied with groceries at the New-York Denconsess: Home and Training School, No. 24 West Fourteenth-st; at the Catherine contains more than thirty numbers and besides the

> accomplished its work of relieving about 50,000 starving creatures, now suggests a practical plan of providing work for the unemployed. This plan, which even now is in course of operation, is to get into communication with every large employer of labor who, at the same time, with the increase

Miss Jessie Bartlett Davis and Eugene Cowles, woman, who has four children, a woman described by the superintendent as "a lidy." She did not come for relief nor would she tell her story, but it the Grand Central Palace to superintendent as the Committee for the Atl of the Hungry, under whose auspices a popular smoking concert will be given auspices a popular smoking concert will be given at the Grand Central Palace to-night, Others who will appear are Marguerite Lemon, Pauline Glidden-Chapman, cornetist soloist, and I. S. Cox, flute soloist. Next Succiay night Innes's Band will give the "Stabat Nater," assisted by several well-give the "Stabat Nater," as a several nater of the "Stabat Nater," as a several nater

The treasurer of the People's Kitchen, No. 587 Seventh-ave., reports the following additional contributions: John Tattock, jr., \$5; Henry Wilson, \$2; J. C. Nicoll, \$5; previously acknowledged, \$681 90;

FALSE STORIES TO BE CIRCULATED ABOUT

THE POOR DYING FROM STARVATION.

AN APPEAL FROM THE EAST SIDE RELIEF WORK COMMITTEE FOR FAMILIES UNDER ITS CARE.

To the Editor of The Tribune.

Sir: Will you kindly allow me to transfer one or two burdens from my shoulders to those of your readers who may be wondering whether the reports of the distress in the city have not been overdrawn?

My physician sends a laboring man to the relief effice of which I have charge, asking that I give him work, adding: "A baby has just died in the home—I suspect from starvation." The man wishes work, the Doctor adds, "to keep the other three children alive."

A man with every appearance of honesty, who asks only for work, tells me that from lack of food

BROOKLYN PEOPLE MISSING.

POLICE AID ASKED BY RELATIVES OF THOSE WHO HAVE DISAPPEARED.

The Brooklyn police are looking for four persons who have disappeared recently. Two girls, one woman and a man, were all reported missing yesterday. Julia Crowley, fifteen years old, left the home of her foster-mother, at No. 14 Willow Place, on Thursday, to go to work. She met a must hurry, but she did not reach the place where she was employed. Her foster-mother thinks she may have been kidnapped. She had a conference with the police last evening, and a detective was

with the police last evening, and a detective was detailed on the case.

Mrs. Margaret Costello, of No. 123 Washington-ave., reported to the police last evening that nothing had been seen, since January 21, of Katie Morgan, fifteen years old, who lived with her. The child went out on an errand and did not return. A general alarm was sent out to look for her, and her description was telephoned to every precinct. William P. Pope, of No. 1.104 Pacific-st., asked police aid last evening in searching for his wife, who is slightly demented. Mr. Pope is a manufacturer, at No. 247 Centre-st., New-York, and lives in a fine house. His wife is said to be addicted to the use of opium. About three years ago Mr. Pope discovered some opium in the house, with the label of a druggist named Crawford upon it, and he went to Crawford's store in Fulton-st. and demanded an explanation. He said that he warned the druggist not to sell the polson to his wife. In the quarrel Mr. Pope struck Mr. Crawford, who had him arrested and ined. Mr. Pope made a complaint against the druggist not to sell the polson to search hotels and lodging houses for Mrs. Pope. She is thirty-five years old, and wore a seal sacque, a dark dress, a brown turban hat, and her wedding-ring, and carried a seal moff. Nicholas Andrews, of Enfield-st, and Jamaica-ave, left his home on Wedenesday and has not been seen since by his friends. He is fifty-three years old, and has acted somewhat strangely for some time and has threatened to commit suicide.

There is one of the best opportunities for both an investment and a business to be found in a suburban and mineral springs property within fourteen

urban and mineral springs property within fourteen miles of Chicago, and connected with it by two rail-roads with forty trains a day.

The property consists of one hundred and sixteen acres, with a small lake of about forty acres, the whole situated amidst beautiful wooded hills, the highest ground between Lake Michigan and the Mississippi River. On the grounds are six springs, three of which possess the best medical properties, one Laxative, one Magnesia and one Iron. One of the others is absolutely pure water, with only a trace of organic matter, and one of the best bottled waters in existence, over 10,600 worth having been sold last year without one dollar's advertising. To bottle water and sell it for money is profitable.

Also a first-class hotel, beautifully situated, elaborately furnished, with ninety-six sleeping rooms. The owner will sell at a sacrifice, as he is sick with a fatal disease. For full particulars address P. O. Box 143, New-York City.

MUSIC.

FOURTH PHILHARMONIC CONCERT.

The features which gave special interest to the fourth concert of the fifty-second season of the Philharmonic Society, which took place in the Music Hall last night, was the production of a new symphony by the young Scandinavian composer, Christian Sinding, and the singing of M. Poi Plancan, of the Matropolitan Opens, company Plangon, of the Metropolitan Opera company. The latter feature was most admired by the audience, and the greater part of M. Plancon's work richly deserved the admiration. It is comparatively seldom that one finds an opera singer who has at his command a style of musical utterance fit for the concert-room. Yet M. Plangon was most artis-tic in the air, "Rolling in Foaming Billows," from Haydn's "Creation," which was his first number last night. He sang the chaste and classical music with all the suavity, dignity and tonal beauty that one might have expected from a trained oratorio singer, and so charmed his hearers that they insisted upon either a repetition or a supple-mentary number. Then he added to the enthusiasm of the audience by singing "O Isis and Osiris" from Mozart's "Magic Flute," also with orchestral accompaniment. The concluding piece on the programme was the finale from Wag-WHEN THEY MET MAYOR GILLION.

The committee of wealthy citizens appointed by Mayor Gilroy on Priday to receive and distribute the money which, it is hoped, will be raised through this latest appeal of the Mayor, will meet in the City Hall to-merrow at 12:30 p. m. Plans for the distribution of the funds will be considered, but it is expected that a much graver subject control of the funds will be considered, but it is expected that a much graver subject control of the funds will be considered, but it is expected that a much graver subject control of the funds will be considered, but it is expected that a much graver subject control of the funds will be considered, but it is expected that a much graver subject control of the fund of fund of the fund of the fund of f ner's "Waikure," in which he sang Wotan's fare-well to Brünnhilde. In the airs by Haydn and Mo-

says: "Daylight yesterday re-ectacle at White Oak Bayou Schiedem, via Amsterdam (bridge, near the city, where, on Thursday night, train robbers had raised fishplates from the rails and caused the wreek of a Missouri, Kansas and Texas passenger train and the possible death of Texas passenger train and the possible death of four men. As soon as the news of the wreek reached the city, a party of officers were organized, and, with some bloodhounds, went to the scene of the disaster.

Officers yesterday afternoon arrested Jesse Dillingham and wife. The arrest was kept quiet, to avoid mob violence. Another suspect is held, no one being allowed to communicate with or see him. He has made a written confession, which, while exonerating himself, is said to implicate all the others. A double lynching is possible.

BRITTIN-February 8, at Newton, N. J., Pemberton Brittin, aged SI years, Funeral services at Christ Church, Newton, N. J., on Monday, February 12, at 3:39 p. m. Friends are requested to attend without further notice. CLARKE—At Columbia, S. C., on Saturday, February 10, Julia H., wife of Henry P. Clarke, and daughter Sami, H. Hurd, of this city.

Hill.S-At Albany, February 9, Anna F., wife of Charles A. Hills. Hulls. eral Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock from 278 State-Albany. st. Albany.

HOTGHTELING At Washington, D. C., on Thursday, HOTGHTELING At Washington, D. C., on Thursday, February S. Laura, daughter of William D. Houghteling, esp., of Asheville, N. C., sister of Mrs. A. Cass Cannell, of this city.

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ISHAM-At her country residence, in Manchester, Vermont, February 9, Fannie B. Isham, wife of Edward S.
Isham, of Chicago.
MOONEY-At Rediands, Cal., February 3, 1894, Minnie
S., wife of G. A. Mooney, of Portland, Oregon, and
daughter of James E. and the late Ellen Weir, of this
city.

daughter of James E. and the city.
Funeral services at the "Washington," 122d-st. and 7th-ave., on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock.
Relatives and friends are invited to attend.
PHELIPS—In Brooklyn, N. Y., February 10, Annie Keese Lapham, wife of George M. Phelps, and daughter of Giver K. and Lydia B. Lapham, in the 47th year of her age.

Funeral private.

FURDY—On 10th inst., Clarence S. Purdy, aged 21 years sing yesleft the Willow
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12, 1894.

WILLIAMSON-At his home, No. 44 North Clinton-ave,
Trenton, N. J., February 19, 1894, in his 224 year, Robert Schuyler Williamson, only son of Nicholas D. Willlamson and the late Mary E. Schuyler.
Fomeral services will be held at the residence at 2 o'clock
p. m. Tuesday next.
ZIEGENFUSS-At Poughkeepsie, on Thursday evening,
the venerable Archdeacon Ziegenfusa, rector of Christ
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the Venerators Archivel. Church, Funeral from Christ Church Monday, February 12, at 1:30

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Religions Notices.

A SERVICE PARTICIPATED IN BY MORE THAN 200 children, consisting of singing and recitations, is held every Sunday afternoon at 3.35, to which the public is invited, in the Five Points House of Industry, 155 Worthst. Donations of clothing and shoes are solicited.

AMERICAN TEMPERANCE UNION, Masonic Temple, 234-st. and 6th-ave.—Sunday, 3 o'clock, Women's Christian Temperance Union Day; Mrs. E. FRANCES LORD, Praident New-York County Union, will preside Adresses by Mrs. LORD, Miss JULIA COLMAN, and others. A very choice musical programme will be furnished; William Dwyer, soloist, EDWIN GALLOWAY, Secretary, JOSEPH A. BOGARDUS, President.

ALL SOUL'S CHURCH, Madison-ave, and 66th-st., Rev. R. HEBER NEWTON, D. D., Rector.—Rev. WILLIAM KIRKUS, LL. D., will preach at 11 a. m. and 4:39 p. m.

AT THE MISSIONARY CONFERENCE, at Calvary Baptist Church, Monday evening, Feb. 11, Drs. A. H., STRONG, of Rochester, and Dr. G. C. LORIMER, of Boston, will give addresses.

CHURCH OF ST. MARY THE VIRGIN. 228 West 45th-st.—Lenten services, Sundays, Masses, 7,30, 9; Matins, 10; High Mass, 10;4b. Freecher, Rev. THOMAS RICHEY, D. D., professor in General Theological Seminary, Subject "Sacrificial Worship", Vespers, 4. Weekdays, Masses, 730, 9,30; Matins, 9; Vespers, 5. Weinesday evenings, lectures by Father BETTS, 8. Thursdays, lectures to Confirmation class, 4 and 8. Fridays, lectures by Father BROWN, 4:15. The Stations of the Cross, 8.

CHRIST CHURCH, Boulevard and Tist-st., Dr. J. SHIPMAN, Rector.—Morning service, 11 o'clock. Eve ing service at S. Sunday-school at 10 a. m. HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, Harlem Lenox-ave, and 122d-st. Rev. C. D.W. BRIDGMAN, D. D. Rector.—Morning prayer and sermon at 11. Evensong at 4. Evening prayer and sermon at 74. The Rector will preach in the morning, and the Rev. J. R. PETERS in the evening.

"H. P. B." THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, 142 West 125th-st. - The public lecture of Sunday evening, February 11, at 8.15, will be upon "The Spirit of the Age," by ALEX-ANDER FULLERTON.

MRS. HELEN T. BRIGHAM, Knickerbocker Conservatory, 44 West 14th-st.—Questions answered. Subjects taken from the audience. Lecture, 7:45; subject: "God in Us."

RT. REV. ETHELBERT TALBOT, D. D., Bishop of Wyoming and Idaho, will deliver the first of a course of sermons of The Prayer Book." at St. Thomas's Church, 33d-st. and 5th-ave., Sunday, February 11, at 6 p. m. Subject: "The Frayer Book for the Missionary in His Work."

REV. GEORGE C. LORIMER, OF BOSTON, will preach at the Haptist Church of the Epiphary, M son-ave. cor. 64th-st., subjects, at 11 a. m., "The Char of God," and at 8 p. m., "The Modern Gadarenes." SOCIETY FOR ETHICAL CULTURE.—Sunday, February II, 1894, at 11:15 a.m., lecture by Dr. STANTON COIT, at Music Hall, corner 57th-st, and 7th-ave Subject: "The Mornl Apathy of the People and How to Overcome It." All interested are invited.

ST. MARK'S CHURCH, 10th-st. and 2d-ave.—11 a. m., morning prayer and sermon; S p. m., musical service and sermon Rev. Dr. RYLANCE will preach.
MISSION CHAPEL, corner 10th-st. and Avenue A.—Sunday-school, 3 o'clock Divine service at half-past 6.
Rev. RICHARD COBDEN will preach.

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SPIRITUALISM. Carnegle Hall.—CLARA BAN speaks; morning, 11; evening, 8; afternoon, 2; 5, peys henomena. Wednesday evening, 8, Mrs. ADA PO' wonderful test medium